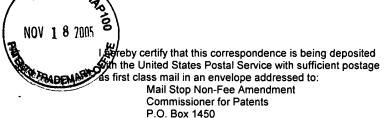
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2005 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.